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## §3–316.1.

- (a) An action may be maintained in the name of this State or the Board to enjoin:
  - (1) The unauthorized practice of chiropractic; or
- (2) Conduct that is a ground for disciplinary action under  $\S 3-313$  of this subtitle.
  - (b) An action under this section may be brought by:
    - (1) The Board, in its own name;
    - (2) The Attorney General, in the name of this State; or
    - (3) A State's Attorney, in the name of this State.
- (c) An action under this section shall be brought in the county where the defendant:
  - (1) Resides; or
  - (2) Engages in the acts sought to be enjoined.
- (d) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, an action under this section may not be brought against an individual who is authorized to practice a health occupation under this article.
- (2) An action under this section may be brought against an individual who is authorized to practice chiropractic under this title.
- (e) Proof of actual damage or that any person will sustain any damage if an injunction is not granted is not required for an action under this section.
- (f) An action under this section is in addition to and not instead of criminal prosecution for the unauthorized practice of chiropractic under § 3–501 of this title or disciplinary action under § 3–313 of this subtitle.

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